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Applicant: Udo Baumeister, et al.

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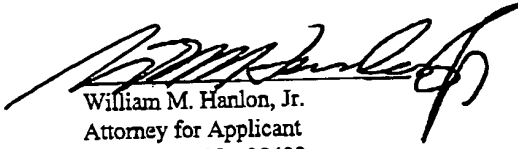
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Sir:

The Office Action dated October 18, 2002 has been received and carefully reviewed. Entry of this Amendment under the provisions of Rule 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 is respectfully requested.

In the drawing:

In Figure 1, a carbon brush 10 and a plane 11 have been added such that the carbon brush 10 lies in the same plane 11 as the sensor 8. In Figure 3, the numeral seven (7) has been deleted.

In the specification:

Please replace the paragraph on page 5, lines 14-21 with the following paragraph:

It is often desirable to determine the rotary status of the rotor or an angular value for the rotor of an electrical machine derived therefrom without regard as to whether the machine is operated in generator or motor mode. To this end, it is known from DE-OS 41 03 561 that the shaft of a motor can be connected to magnets, with Hall elements provided in the stator associated with these magnets. In DE-OS 35 39 390, magnets are mounted on the shaft of a